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HAWAII.

Record of Plague Infection.

The last case of human plague at Honolulu occurred July 12, 1910.

The last plague-infected rat was found at Aiea, 9 miles from Honolulu, April 12, 1910.

At Hilo the last case of human plague occurred March 23, 1910. A fatal case occurred at Honokaa, 60 miles from Hilo, December 17, 1910; 2 fatal cases were reported January 31, 1911, and 1 fatal case was reported April 19.

The last plague-infected rat was found at Honokaa February 2, 1911. A plague-infected rat was found at Hilo during the week ended June 10, 1911.

Chief Quarantine Officer Ramus reports, August 28 and September 5:

Honolulu—Plague-Prevention Work.

	Week ended Aug. 26.	Week ended Sept. 2.
Total rats and mongoose taken.....	781	813
Rats trapped.....	715	700
Mongoose trapped.....	17	19
Rats shot from trees.....	49	94
Examined bacteriologically.....	655	704
Classification of rats trapped:		
<i>Mus alexandrinus</i>	67	69
<i>Mus musculus</i>	292	291
<i>Mus norvegicus</i>	43	40
<i>Mus rattus</i>	313	300
Classification of rats shot from trees:		
<i>Mus alexandrinus</i>	7	10
<i>Mus rattus</i>	42	84

INDIA.

Calcutta—Cholera and Plague.

Acting Assist. Surg. Allan reports that during the two weeks ended August 12 there were 17 deaths from cholera and 35 from plague in Calcutta; in all Bengal, 107 cases of plague with 91 deaths; in all India, 6,756 cases of plague with 4,753 deaths.

ITALY.

Status of Cholera..Cholera Carriers.

At Genoa, Naples, and Palermo emigrants from Italy are bacteriologically examined by medical officers of the Italian Government before embarkation to ascertain the presence of cholera carriers. Out of 9,557 examinations made, 40 carriers have been found at Naples and 1 at Palermo.

Surg. Geddings, at Naples, reports September 21:

From September 3 to September 9, inclusive, cholera was reported in Italy as follows: Naples city, 17 cases with 1 death; Naples Province, 49 cases with 12 deaths; rest of continental Italy, 1,089 cases with 422 deaths; Palermo city, 28 cases with 16 deaths; Palermo Province, 23 cases with 15 deaths; rest of Sicily, 73 cases with 30 deaths.

Genoa—Restrictions on Emigrants on Account of Cholera.

Passed Asst. Surg. King reported, September 11, that practically the same procedures in regard to the handling of passengers had been put into effect at Genoa as then enforced at Naples. Steerage